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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: DANA SCRANTON, *ET AL.*  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/055,467  
FILED: JANUARY 22, 2002  
FOR: VAPOR CLEANING AND LIQUID RINSING PROCESS  
VESSEL

EXAMINER: FRANKIE L. STINSON  
ART UNIT: 1746  
CONF. NO: 6380

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is an Amendment in reply to the Restriction mailed on August 25, 2004 and a return postcard. Applicant believes that no further fees are due in connection with this Amendment; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2586.

Dated: September 27, 2004

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction mailed on August 25, 2004, please amend the  
Application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel claims 11-16 and 24-29, and add new claims 30-43, as shown on  
the attached claim sheets.

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